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(SALT TWO-1805)

REF: A. STATE 172170 B. SALT TWO-1806

1. AT PRIVATE MEETING JULY 11, PER INSTRUCTIONS REF A, I PROPOSED THAT WORD "TREATY" ON TITLE PAGE OF JDT BE CHANGED TO "AGREEMENT/TREATY" WITH FOOTNOTE READING AS FOLLOWS:

"IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE TERM 'TREATY' IS USED IN THIS JOINT DRAFT TEXT WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE FORM OF THE DOCUMENT, WHICH SHALL BE DECIDED BY THE GOVERNMENTS."

- 2. IN ADDITION, PER REF A, I PROPOSED NEW LANGUAGE FOR JOINT STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES, USING WORD "TREATY" VICE "AGREEMENT", BUT INCLUDING SAME FOOTNOTE AS ABOVE (REF B).
- 3. REGARDING "AGREEMENT/TREATY", SEMENOV ASKED AND I SECRET

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CONFIRMED THAT SUBSTANCE OF ARTICLE XIX (ENTRY INTO FORCE AND WITHDRAWAL) WOULD NOT BE CHANGED THOUGH TERM "TREATY" MIGHT BE.

4. AS TO U.S. PROPOSAL FOR JOINT STATEMENT, SEMENOV DEFERRED COMMENT OTHER THAN TO NOTE ABSENCE IN THIRD SECTION OF "ALL RELEVANT FACTORS" AND REDUCTION OF WARHEADS,

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